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Mr. Sam Akeah,
Chairman, Navaho Tribal Council
Window Rock, Arizona.

Dear Sam:-

At long last my Navaho book is nearing completion. I have a dummy which contains proofs of most of the pictures. I am very anxious to show this to you and talk over any changes or additions or deletions.

I am planning to come over for the Council meeting on Monday, arriving either Saturday or Sunday. I know this will be a very busy time and perhaps a bad time for you to look this all over. But I also want to try for a better picture of a council meeting than the one I have. There are several other things I want to do in the Window Rock area, so I could see you later if that would be better. But I do want to let you know that I am coming and that I want to see you at your convenience. I trust that you are back from Washington. I hope the water legislation will go through. All the Indian legislation is concerning me very much and I have been talking and writing about it a lot.

Anne Wauneka made a very fine talk at the meeting of the N.M. Indian Asso. ~~meeting~~ It was quite the outstanding talk of the day, and everyone was very much impressed with her.

Hoping that this finds you home again and
that it will be possible to have a long
talk about the book with you very soon,
I am

Sincerely yours,